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Title	: DYNAMIC LINKING ELEMENT	
	: FOR A SPINAL ATTACHMENT	
	: SYSTEM, AND SPINAL	
	: ATTACHMENT SYSTEM	
	: INCLUDING SAID LINKING	
	: ELEMENT	

Dated: April 12, 2011

RESPONSE

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Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated December 14, 2010, the Applicants amend the
Application as follows: